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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:  
KOROLIK et al.

Application No.: 10/817,398

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For: CONTROLS OF AMBIENT  
ENVIRONMENT DURING WAFER  
DRYING USING PROXIMITY HEAD

Examiner: Heckert, Jason Mark

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 2, 2007, the Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, group II, claims 13-26, to prosecute in the above-identified patent application. The Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Applicants believe that no fees are required in the filing of this Response. However, if it is determined that any fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. LAM2P467). Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,  
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